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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: CHOW ET AL

Serial No: 09/815,632

Filed: March 21, 2001

For: COMPOUNDS AND METHOD OF TREATMENT
HAVING AGONIST-LIKE ACTIVITY SELECTIVE AT
ALPHA 2B OR 2B/2C ADRENERGIC RECEPTORS

Group Art Unit: 1626

Examiner: F. Higel

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TRANSMITTAL SHEET

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. Enclosed are:

- 1) Postcard
- 2) Transmittal Letter (2 pgs.)
- 3) Reply to Office Action (15 pgs.)

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(Select only one)			one month	\$110	= \$0.00
Time Extension Fees:			two months	\$400	= \$*
			three months	\$920	= \$*
			four months	\$1,440	= \$*
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Respectfully Submitted,

Date: 12/20/01

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Applicant: Chow et al.)
 Serial No.: 09/815,362)
 Filed: March 21, 2001)
 For: Compounds and Methods of)
 Treatment Having Agonist-Like)
 Activity Selective at Alpha 2B or)
 2B/2C Adrenergic Receptors)
 Examiner: F. Higel)

Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned

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 Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Specifically, accompanying this communication please find:

- (a) Transmittal Letter
- (b) Reply to Office Action.

Respectfully submitted,

Bonnie Ferguson
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